

PATENT APPLICATION

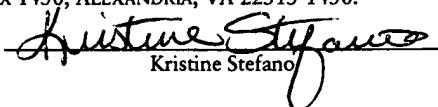


IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	NOLAN L. SMITH et al.	Examiner:
Serial No.:	10/663,514	Group Art Unit:
Filed:	September 16, 2003	
For:	MULTI-AXIAL PROSTHETIC FOOT	Docket No. 55508-277457

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